

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

1. (Currently amended) A cosmetic composition comprising at least one binder A and at least one particulate phase B, the binder A comprising at least water and particles of at least one partially or completely crosslinked elastomeric solid organopolysiloxane C,

wherein the weight ratio of said at least one organopolysiloxane C to said at least one particulate phase B ranges from 0.4:1 to 1.8:1,

wherein the weight ratio of said at least one binder A to said at least one particulate phase B ranges from 1:1 to 2.5:1,

wherein said at least one particulate phase B comprises at least one pearlescent agent, present in an amount ranging from 10% to 50% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition, and

wherein said composition has a pasty to pulverulent texture.

2. (Original) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein the weight ratio of said at least one organopolysiloxane C to said at least one particulate phase B ranges from 0.4:1 to 1.5:1.

3. (Original) A composition according to Claim 2, wherein the weight ratio of said at least one organopolysiloxane C to said at least one particulate phase B ranges from 0.4:1 to 1.3:1.

4. (Original) A composition according to Claim 3, wherein the weight ratio of said at least one organopolysiloxane C to said at least one particulate phase B ranges from 0.6:1 to 1.3:1.

5-7. (Canceled).

8. (Original) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said at least one particulate phase B is present in said composition in an amount ranging from 25 to 60% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

9. (Original) A composition according to Claim 8, wherein said at least one particulate phase B is present in said composition in an amount ranging from 35 to 60% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

10. (Original) A composition according to Claim 9, wherein said at least one particulate phase B is present in said composition in an amount ranging from 35 to 55% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

11. (Original) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said at least one organopolysiloxane C is present in said composition in an amount ranging from 25 to 45% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

12. (Original) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein the particles of said at least one organopolysiloxane C have a particle size ranging from 0.1 to 500 μm .

13. (Original) A composition according to Claim 12, wherein the particles of said at least one organopolysiloxane C have a particle size ranging from 0.1 to 200 μm .

14. (Original) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein the particles of said at least one organopolysiloxane have a JIS hardness of less than or equal to 80.

15. (Original) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein the particles of said at least one organopolysiloxane have a JIS hardness of less than or equal to 65.

16. (Currently amended) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said at least one particulate phase B comprises at least one particle chosen from pigments, pearlescent agents, fillers, and glitter.

17. (Original) A composition according to Claim 16, wherein said at least one particulate phase B comprises at least one pigment.

18. (Original) A composition according to Claim 17, wherein said at least one pigment is chosen from titanium dioxides, zirconium dioxides, cerium dioxides, zinc oxides, iron oxides, chromium oxides, nanotitaniums, nanozincs, ferric blue, carbon black, and lacquers.

19. (Original) A composition according to Claim 17, wherein said at least one pigment is present in an amount ranging from 0.05% to 60% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

20. (Original) A composition according to Claim 19, wherein said at least one pigment is present in an amount ranging from 0.5 to 50% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

21. (Canceled)

22. (Currently amended) A composition according to Claim ~~[[21]]~~1, wherein said at least one pearlescent agent is chosen from natural pearl, mica coated with titanium oxide, mica coated with iron oxide, mica coated with aluminium hydroxide, mica coated with magnesium hydroxide, mica coated with silica, mica coated with a natural pigment and mica coated with bismuth oxychloride, and colored mica-titanium.

23. - 24. (Canceled)

25. (Original) A composition according to Claim 16, wherein said at least one particulate phase B comprises at least one filler.

26. (Previously presented) A composition according to Claim 25, wherein said at least one filler is chosen from talc, mica, silica, kaolin, nylon powders, polyethylene powder, sericites, clays, starch, boron nitride, powders of tetrafluoroethylene polymers,

powders of polymethyl methacrylate, polyurethane powders, polystyrene powders, polyester powders, synthetic hollow microspheres, microsponges and microbeads of polymethylsilsesquioxane resin, zinc and titanium oxides, zirconium and cerium oxides, precipitated calcium carbonate, magnesium carbonate and hydrocarbonate, hydroxyapatite, hollow silica microspheres, glass and ceramic microcapsules, and metal soaps of organic acids having from 8 to 22 carbon atoms.

27. (Previously presented) A composition according to Claim 26, wherein said at least one filler is chosen from mica, talc, nylon powders, synthetic hollow microspheres and polyurethane powders.

28. (Original) A composition according to Claim 25, wherein said at least one filler is present in an amount ranging from 0.05% to 60% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

29. (Original) A composition according to Claim 28, wherein said at least one filler is present in an amount ranging from 20% to 60% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

30. (Currently amended) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said at least one particulate phase B comprises particles chosen from at least one of pearlescent agents, pigments, mica, talc, synthetic hollow microspheres, polyurethane powder and nylon powders.

31. (Original) A composition according to Claim 16, wherein said at least one particle is coated with at least one compound chosen from silicone compounds, a polyethylene, a polymethacrylate, a fluorinated compound, an amino acid, and silica.

32. (Original) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said composition further comprises at least one fatty substance chosen from oils, waxes, gums, and pasty fatty substances, wherein each at least one fatty substance may be of animal, plant, mineral or synthetic origin.

33. (Original) A composition according to Claim 32, wherein said composition comprises an aqueous microdispersion of wax.

34. (Original) A composition according to Claim 32, wherein said composition comprises at least one wax in an amount ranging from 0.1% to 30% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

35. (Original) A composition according to Claim 34, wherein said composition comprises at least one wax in an amount ranging from 0.1% to 10% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

36. (Original) A composition according to Claim 32, wherein said composition comprises at least one oil in an amount ranging from 0.1% to 30% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

37. (Original) A composition according to Claim 36, wherein said composition comprises at least one oil in an amount ranging from 0.1% to 15% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

38. (Original) A composition according to Claim 32, wherein said composition comprises a volatile oil.

39. (Original) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said composition further comprises at least one aqueous phase gelling agent.

40. (Original) A composition according to Claim 39, wherein said at least one aqueous phase gelling agent is chosen from water-soluble cellulosic gelling agents; guar gum; quaternized guar gum; nonionic guar gums comprising C₁-C₆ hydroxyalkyl groups; xanthan, carob, scleroglucan, gellan and karaya gums; alginates, maltodextrin, starch and its derivatives, hyaluronic acid and its salts; clays; at least partially neutralized crosslinked polyacrylic acids; polyglyceryl (meth)acrylate polymers; polyvinylpyrrolidone; polyvinyl alcohol; crosslinked polymers and copolymers of acrylamide; crosslinked homopolymers of methacryloyloxyethyltrimethylammonium chloride; associative polyurethanes, and associative polyamides.

41. (Original) A composition according to Claim 39, wherein said at least one aqueous phase gelling agent is chosen from xanthan gum, clays, associative polyurethanes, associative polyamides, cellulosic thickeners, and at least partially neutralized crosslinked polyacrylic acids.

42. (Original) A composition according to Claim 39, wherein the at least one aqueous phase gelling agent is present in an amount ranging from 0.1% to 20% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

43. (Original) A composition according to Claim 42, wherein the at least one aqueous phase gelling agent is present in an amount ranging from 0.1% to 10% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

44. (Original) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said composition further comprises at least one product capable of at least partly limiting the evaporation of water.

45. (Original) A composition according to Claim 44, wherein said at least one product is chosen from sugars and polyols.

46. (Original) A composition according to Claim 45, wherein said at least one product is chosen from glycerine, trehalose, polyethylene glycol and propylene glycol.

47. (Original) A composition according to Claim 44, wherein said at least one product is present in an amount of 0.1% to 30% by weight, relative to the weight of the composition.

48. (Original) A composition according to Claim 47, wherein said at least one product is present in an amount of 0.1% to 10% by weight, relative to the weight of the composition.

49. (Original) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said composition comprises by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition: from 25 to 60% of said at least one particulate phase B, from 25 to 45% of said at least one organopolysiloxane C, from 15 to 35% of an aqueous phase D, wherein the weight ratio of (said at least one organopolysiloxane C + said aqueous phase D) to said at least one particulate phase B ranges from 0.6:1 to 3:1.

50. (Original) A composition according to Claim 49, wherein the weight ratio of (said at least one organopolysiloxane C + said aqueous phase D) to said at least one particulate phase B ranges from 0.6:1 to 2.5:1.

51. (Previously presented) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said composition comprises by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition: from 40 to 75% of said at least one binder A, wherein the binder A comprises 63% organopolysiloxane C and 37% water, and from 25 to 60% of said at least one particulate phase B.

52-56. (Canceled).

57. (Original) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein the composition is sufficiently solid to be left, in a cylindrical form of 3 cm³ on a horizontal plane at ambient atmospheric pressure and at room temperature without changing shape for one hour.

58. (Original) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said composition is provided in the form of a foundation, blusher, eyebrow make-up, eyeshadow, concealer product, body make-up product or matt-effect care product composition.

59. (Currently amended) A method for manufacturing a cosmetic composition, wherein the cosmetic composition comprises at least one binder A and at least one particulate phase B, the binder A comprising at least water and particles of at least one partially or completely crosslinked elastomeric solid organopolysiloxane C, wherein the weight ratio of said at least one organopolysiloxane C to said at least one particulate phase B ranges from 0.4:1 to 1.8:1, wherein the weight ratio of said at least one binder A to said at least one particulate phase B ranges from 1:1 to 2.5:1, wherein said at least one particulate phase B comprises at least one pearlescent agent, present in an amount ranging from 10% to 50% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition, wherein the composition is obtained by blending and/or extrusion, and wherein said composition has a pulverulent to pasty texture.

60. (Original) A method according to Claim 59, wherein the blending is carried out with the aid of a twin-screw extruder-mixer.

61. (Original) A method according to Claim 59, wherein the composition is shaped by pressing in a container.

62. (Currently amended) A cosmetic method for applying make-up to or caring for the skin, the lips, the eyelashes, the eyebrows, said method comprising applying to the skin, the lips, the eyelashes or the eyebrows a composition having a pulverulent to pasty texture comprising at least one binder A and at least one particulate phase B, the binder A comprising at least water and particles of at least one partially or completely crosslinked elastomeric solid organopolysiloxane C, wherein the weight ratio of said at least one organopolysiloxane C to said at least one particulate phase B ranges from 0.4:1 to 1.8:1, and wherein said at least one particulate phase B comprises at least one pearlescent agent, present in an amount ranging from 10% to 50% by weight, relative to the total weight of the composition.

63. (Currently amended) A cosmetic method for applying make-up to the skin with a sensation of freshness, said method comprising applying to the skin a composition having a pulverulent to pasty texture comprising at least one binder A and at least one particulate phase B, the binder A comprising at least water and particles of at least one partially or completely crosslinked elastomeric solid organopolysiloxane C, wherein the weight ratio of said at least one organopolysiloxane C to said at least one particulate phase B ranges from 0.4:1 to 1.8:1, and wherein the weight ratio of said at least one binder A to the weight ratio of said at least one particulate phase B ranges from 1:1 to 2.5:1, and wherein said at least one particulate phase B comprises at least

one pearlescent agent, present in an amount ranging from 10% to 50% by weight,
relative to the total weight of the composition.